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Man pleads guilty to vote buying

Trial for remaining defendants set for next week

 by **Tony Fyffe**
BSN MANAGING EDITOR

PIKEVILLE — With their trial set to begin next week, one of six defendants in a vote-buying case involving the former mayor of Martin pleaded guilty in federal court Monday.

Henry Mullins entered a guilty plea before U.S. Magistrate Judge Edward B. Atkins to one count of paying another to vote as part of a plea deal with federal prosecutors. His sentencing is scheduled for Aug. 13 in U.S. District Court in Pikeville.

Mullins and five other people — former Martin Mayor Ruth Thomasine Robinson; her husband, James “Red” Robinson; his son, James Steven Robinson; city employee Ginger Michelle Halbert; and Johnny T. Moore — were indicted last December on federal vote-buying and civil rights conspiracy involving Thomasine Robinson’s unsuccessful re-election campaign in 2012.

According to his plea agreement, Mullins was provided money by James “Red” Robinson and “instructed to use it to buy votes.”

“The Defendant went to an apartment complex and located some potential voters,” the

agreement says. “He gave J.H. ten dollars and asked him to vote for the mayor. On the ballot in Floyd County that election was a race for U.S. President.”

The statutory punishment for the vote-buying charge is imprisonment for not more than five years, a \$25,000 and three years’ supervised release, according to the plea agreement.

No agreement exists regarding the sentencing guideline calculation for Mullins, with the exception that the prosecution agrees that he should be credited with “acceptance of responsibility” based on his “timely guilty plea.”

Trial for the remaining defendants is set to begin next Tuesday in federal court in Pikeville.

The former mayor and her daughter, Rita Christine Whicker, were convicted in February of Social Security fraud in a separate federal case. They will be sentenced July 9. Halbert was also a defendant in that case and pleaded guilty to three charges. She will be sentenced June 6.

The remaining defendants in the vote-buying case have pleaded not guilty.

The indictment says that “a number of the qualified voters in Martin were disabled and were poor residents of public housing in Mar-

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Sentencing scheduled May 16 for Castle

 by **Lilly Adkins**
ASSOCIATE EDITOR

PAINTSVILLE — A May 16 sentencing date is scheduled for a Johnson County woman convicted of second-degree manslaughter last Wednesday in the death of 18-year-old Casey Roger Mollett.

Myra Castle, 53, was found guilty after an eight-woman, three-man jury deliberated for approximately 30 minutes last Wednesday morning.

Castle was convicted of second-degree manslaughter and DUI in an August 2013 crash that killed Mollett. The jury recommended a sentence of seven years for the second-degree manslaughter charge and 30 days for the DUI charge, which will be served concurrently. Castle will also receive 250 days credit for time served and will be eligible for parole within 16 months, according to the commonwealth attorney’s office.

The jury visited the site of the

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Myra Castle

‘DREAM MARTIN COUNTY’



FORMER PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATE Mike Huckabee, who is also a pastor, advised people in Martin County during the “Dream Martin County” event that moral poverty is a much greater poverty than that of money. *BSN photo/Brenda Hardwick*

Former presidential hopeful commemorates War on Poverty

 by **Lilly Adkins**
ASSOCIATE EDITOR

INEZ — Fifty years after President Lyndon B. Johnson declared a war on poverty in Martin County, former presidential candidate Mike Huckabee attended an event held in the Roy F. Collier Community Center’s parking lot in Inez called “Dream Martin County” to commemorate the historic day.

Country music singer Angaleena Presley as well as state and local public figures also attended, with several busloads of Sheldon Clark High School students also watching the event.

Torrential downpours didn’t prevent a huge turn-

out for “Dream Martin County,” which was broadcast live on television.

The event was held in recognition of the 50th anniversary of Johnson’s visit to Martin County on April 24, 1964, at which time he sat on the front porch of Tom Fletcher’s house and declared a war on poverty.

In 1960, statistics show that slightly more than 70 percent of the families living in Martin County lived under the poverty level. Fifty years later, that number has dropped by half.

“Dream Martin County,” was intended to be the

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Ashland resident arrested in Johnson

 by **Lilly Adkins**
ASSOCIATE EDITOR

PAINTSVILLE — An Ashland man indicted last year in Johnson County in connection with sexual abuse of a child less than 12 years old was arrested Saturday at the Marathon on Rt. 321 in Paintsville.

Christopher J. Jenkins, 33, of Ashland, is charged with operating a motor vehicle under the influence of drugs/alcohol/etc. (aggravating circumstances), first-degree fleeing or evading police on foot, first-degree disorderly conduct, resisting arrest, first-degree sexual abuse of a child less than 12 years old. He was also served with two outstanding bench warrants.

Paintsville police officer P.D. Witten apprehended Jenkins after receiving a complaint from an off-duty Kentucky State Police Officer who said Jenkins was intoxicated and driving a motor vehicle, that

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Christopher J. Jenkins

Various issues discussed at conference

SOMERSET — U.S. Rep. Harold Rogers and Gov. Steve Beshear joined leaders from Southern and Eastern Kentucky to discuss critical issues important to the region at the 27th annual East Kentucky Leadership Conference.

The conference, which brought together leaders from across the region to talk about issues specific to Southern and Eastern Kentucky, drew more than 400 people to the two-day event April 24-25 at The Center for Rural Development in Somerset.

This year’s conference theme

was “Transforming Crisis into Opportunity.” Topics focused on federal and state initiatives, entrepreneurship for small businesses, next generation technology, youth engagement, education, employment opportunities, and tourism. It was the largest attendance in the history of the conference.

“The Center for Rural Development is honored to have been the host and partner for one of the most important events to occur in the region,” said Elizabeth Burton, spokeswoman for The Center for Rural Development. “This confer-

ence shows the people of Appalachia that we’re not going to quit. That we are committed to finding solutions to problems that are keeping our region and our people from moving forward. I think that the attendance at the conference this year shows the entrepreneurial spirit and perseverance of the people of Appalachia. There is no more special place than right here at home in Eastern Kentucky.”

The East Kentucky Leadership Conference provides an opportunity for dialogue, creative thinking and solution development around chron-

ic problems that have affected the Appalachian region. In his address to the conference participants, Rogers said “this conference allows people to come together to develop a plan so that we can take concrete steps to more the region forward.”

“Whether it is in technology, employment, or tourism, we need to plan first,” he said. “Then, we can roll up our sleeves and work.”

This year, the East Kentucky Leadership Conference built upon

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The 10 Working Groups include agriculture, community and regional foods; broadband; business recruit-

"The real strength of this region is its mountains, its heritage, and its people," added Chuck Fluharty, interim executive director of SOAR. "I believe the assets this region has that are not yet

"Where you live, it doesn't matter," said Rogers. "All you need is access to technology and a good work ethic. Ask any business that has worked in Eastern Ken-

The highlight of the event was an awards showcase hosted on Thursday night where the East Kentucky Leadership Foundation rec-

The conference concluded with a challenge to all participants to go back to their communities, build upon their strengths, and begin planning for success. In his remarks,

Established in 1987, the East Kentucky Leadership Foundation brings together leaders and community members from all walks of life and throughout Eastern Kentucky for a two-day conference in April to discuss and share ideas for solutions to the problems which have kept the region from reaching its fullest potential.

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"LBJ's intentions were quite honorable," Huckabee said. "I can't imagine any-

"In 50 years, the government has spent more than \$21 trillion in the war on poverty," Huckabee said. "I pray over the next 50 years that we declare a war on the poverty of America's soul."

Preachers, pastors and ministers from all over the Big Sandy region attended the event and at the end of the gathering said a prayer for the people of Martin County.

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TRIAL: Johnson woman convicted of manslaughter

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crash last Wednesday morning prior to hearing closing argument and then going into deliberation.

Castle's attorney, Ned Pillersdorf, addressed the jurors to explain the instructions and to ask that they return a not-guilty verdict on the manslaughter charge.

"She's guilty of DUI. I don't think you need to spend much time on count two," Pillersdorf said. "Was it her, or was it his own conduct that caused his death? All of the evidence indicates that she was going 10-15 miles per hour and turning into a driveway. Evidence was that he was going 80-90 miles per hour and passing vehicles on the roadway. All the witnesses say that he was flying by in the blink of an eye and that he hit this woman. The reconstructionist found all the eyewitnesses were correct. His own reckless conduct caused his death. There is a lot of anger at my client because she was

DUI, but she consistently said she never saw him and the one thing that is consistent that we heard from witnesses is that there was a lot of speed involved. The fact that she was drunk didn't matter; his speed caused his death. At the end of the day, there are no winners in this case. People are so angry with her for being DUI that they want her convicted of something she's not guilty of. I would ask that on the charge of second-degree manslaughter, you find my client not guilty."

Assistant Commonwealth's Attorney Tony Skeans addressed jurors to explain why he thought they should render a guilty verdict.

"This case is a particularly hard case, and causation is the issue," he said. "We all agree in this courtroom that choosing to act in a reckless manner may cause your death, driving too fast, or not wearing a helmet or not wearing a seatbelt may cause your death, but for that drunk driver pulling out in front of an oncoming vehicle, it's her responsibility to afford him a right of way. He may

have continued on down that road another 10-15 miles and wiped out, he may have gotten married and had kids, but for that drunk driver that did pull out in front of him, the decision to make that turn, there was no assessment. The reason why is because the person operating that motor vehicle was operating the motor vehicle in a drunken manner, in a drunken haze. Myra Castle didn't pick C.J. Mollett for a victim; it could have been anybody. If the Andersons had been traveling down the road a few seconds earlier, it could have been their family in the courtroom. If there was a small child in the roadway, it could have been their family back there. He didn't pick that way to die, she picked it for him. Experts agree — a helmet wouldn't have mattered. The double yellow line wouldn't have mattered because he was in his lane as far as he could get. This is an anybody crime. There was no reason, she didn't see him because she was in a drunken haze and she did just what she wanted to do.

The defendant knew she was doing something that she knew she wasn't supposed to be doing. The breath mint was to disguise her breath. I know they gave her mouthwash to get the glass out of her mouth. Why did she choose to get on the road? She was bored, her husband's a teetotaler, and she was tired of being told what to do by people all the time. That was her choices that day. She got out on 201. Nobody made those choices but her. This is an anybody crime, she didn't pick C.J. Mollett, she went out on the road and she was way, way drunk. It was seeping out of her pores."

Skeans told the jury that Castle would only be required to serve 20 percent of her sentence before being eligible for parole and asked that they return a guilty verdict.

During the sentencing phase, Mollett's mother, Kelly, spoke to the jurors to tell them about her son and what a loss it was to the family.

"He was a good boy, he enjoyed life, he was my friend, my world, our whole world.

Living is not living anymore," Kelly Mollett said. "Every day I wake up, knowing I'm never going to see him again."

She also asked the jury to

consider the fact that Castle had been able to be out of jail and be with her family every day, but she would never be able to see her son again.

CASE: Floyd County man pleads guilty

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tin, or resided in houses owned" by Thomasine Robinson, while others were unemployed or employed by the city.

"These qualified voters could be easily manipulated and influenced by the mayor and others regarding the exercise of their right to vote, by inducements or implied threats regarding their housing status, by fear of losing their job with the city, or by the fear of her ability to affect the quality of their life by using her powers as mayor of the city," the indictment says.

In the 2012 general election, some voters were "intimidated and coerced" by Thomasine Robinson and "others working in her campaign so that they refrained from voting or were deprived of the freedom of choice of candidates for whom to vote," the indictment says.

From October to mid-November 2012, the indictment alleges, the defendants "did knowingly and willfully conspire and agree with each other and others, known and unknown, to injure, oppress, threaten, and intimidate qualified voters of Martin, under color of law, in the free exercise and enjoyment of certain rights secured to them by the Constitution and laws of the United States, that is, the right of all qualified voters under the Equal Protection and Due Process Clauses of the Fourteenth Amendment to vote, to have their votes reflect their personal choice of candidates, and the right to have their votes be duly counted and have full effect, and not be diluted, or diminished by votes that are procured through coercion and intimidation."

The indictment alleges that the defendants "would approach residents of public housing, and tenants of homes owned" by Thomasine Robinson and "request that they obtain an absentee ballot for the general election."

"In many stances these residents were poor, physically, mentally or developmentally disabled, and felt intimidated and coerced into complying

with the instructions of the defendants with respect to voting," the indictment says. "The defendants would present to the residents and tenants, a letter, already prepared, requesting an absentee ballot be sent to them by the County Clerk, and would ask them to sign the letter. The defendants would instruct the residents and tenants to call the defendants upon receipt of the absentee ballots. Upon receipt of the ballots, the defendants would fill out the absentee ballots for the residents, or would instruct the residents to fill out the ballots as directed, voting for the candidates chosen by the

defendants and not by the resident. It was part of the conspiracy that one or more of the defendants would give on the application for absentee ballot a false justification for voting by absentee ballot, such as the voter was too infirm to come to the polls. It was part of the conspiracy that one or more of the defendants held out to residents that they could receive a better apartment if they voted as requested by the defendants. It was part of the conspiracy that one or more of the defendants expressly or impliedly threatened to evict residents and tenants if they did not vote, or if

they did not vote as directed. It was part of the conspiracy that one or more of the defendants caused residents and tenants to be evicted because they believed they had not voted, or had voted incorrectly. It was part of the conspiracy that Ruth Thomasine Robinson directed Martin police officers to serve eviction notices on tenants. It was part of the conspiracy that one at least one occasion two of the defendants harassed a qualified voter about voting to the point that the voter would not come out of his apartment to vote because he was in fear of physical harm."

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Offutt woman named BSACAP's Head Start Parent of the Year for 2014

"Head Start saved my life."

An emotional Amanda Walters makes this statement and adds, "Before I started volunteering with Head Start, I was home and everything stayed with me. I couldn't think of anything but Madi."

Madi was Walters' granddaughter, who died at five months old in October 2009 from meningitis.

"After I lost Madi, I went into a deep depression," said Walters, 57, of Offutt. "I felt like I was in a hole and that's when everything started messing up. I have a deteriorating bone disease and, right after I lost Madi, I had surgery to have a cadaver bone put in my neck."

While she was dealing with grief and her own physical pain, Walters' life once again changed when she and her husband, Stephen, were granted primary custody of their then-17-month-old grandson, Taylor.

"When our son and daugh-

ter-in-law gave us custody of Taylor, I had him to think about instead of worrying about Madi," Walters said.

When Taylor, who's now three years old, started attending Head Start, Walters experienced more changes.

"I'm on the policy council and the health and safety committee," she said. "That started getting me away from home. That was good because I don't know what would have happened to me if I hadn't gotten involved in Head Start."

When Big Sandy Area Community Action Program's (BSACAP) Head Start Program asked parents to write a letter explaining "What Head Start Has Done For Me," Walters shared the story of Madi's passing and of her own eventual involvement in Head Start. Her fellow Johnson County Head Start parents selected her letter as the county winner. An independent committee then reviewed the winning letters from

BSACAP's seven Head Start programs and chose Walters as the Head Start Parent of the Year based on the content of the letter as well as the amount of time she has donated to the program in the form of volunteer hours and attendance at parent meetings.

"I volunteer about five hours a week," Walters said. "I worked as a janitor for 30 years. My husband was a janitor, too, and he also volunteers. Robin (Salyer, Johnson County Head Start director), says there are things we pick up on that other people wouldn't notice. With my bone disease, I have to sit and rest and do a little more and then sit and rest, but we paint, work on playgrounds, and help our schools any way we can. I also go on field trips with the kids. Where I've been with the school system, I can ride the bus and help out with them."

Walters wipes away tears as she continues, "Kids are my specialty and I'm so grate-

ful for the opportunity to volunteer with Head Start."

She also praises Head Start for helping with Taylor's socialization and education.

"He's been around older boys and he was used to fighting and biting to get what he wanted," Walters said. "He started that in Head Start, but realized he didn't have to behave that way. He's learned to count and he's learned the ABC song. We sing all the time and every day we go on a nature hike. We've caught crawdads and frogs and taken them to school to show the kids who don't have access to things like that."

Salyer appreciates the extra effort Walters exerts.

"She's very reliable and willing to do anything and she's very humble," Salyer said. "Nothing she has done has been for recognition. She did it for the children. She's probably done more for the program than the program has done for her."



Amanda Walters

SOAR work groups meet at conference

by Al Cross

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Do you have an idea for helping improve and diversify the economy of Appalachian Kentucky? Get ready to speak up.

The work groups of the Shaping our Appalachian Region effort plan to hold meetings in most parts of Eastern and Southern Kentucky this summer, to gather ideas for a strategic plan that will be written by the SOAR executive committee this fall.

The groups had their first meetings last week at the annual East Kentucky Leadership Conference in Somerset, a site that gave both the long-held conference and the months-old SOAR a broader geographic base, and wove together some of the region's contrasting political threads.

"I've never seen so much progress or bipartisan commitment from the political establishment," said Charles W. Fluharty, president of the Rural Policy Research Institute, who is acting as temporary staff leader for SOAR. "The challenge is to translate that to the grass roots."

One idea frequently heard during the two-day meeting at the Center for Rural Development was a need to overcome the divisions created by county

lines.

"The only way we're going to get anything done is to come together as a region and do it," Mike Miller, executive director of the Kentucky River Area Development District and a former mayor of Jackson, told the Regional Collaboration and Identity work group, one of 10.

Lake Cumberland Area Development District Executive Director Donna Diaz generally agreed, and said those involved in the effort shouldn't use lack of government funding as an excuse for lack of action.

"Building self-sufficiency is an important part of this," she said. "Tourism prospects got much discussion at the meeting, but progress could come from many small successes, not big projects," said Peter Hille of the Mountain Association for Community Economic Development, who heads the East Kentucky Leadership Foundation, sponsor of the conference.

Hille said a small restaurant, Miguel's, near Natural Bridge State Resort Park, "is more famous worldwide than any of our state parks" because of its proximity to the Red River Gorge, which attracts hikers, rock climbers and outdoor enthusiasts from all over the globe. He said entrepreneurs can find opportunities in "things to do, places to stay and reasons to come back." Ideas

may be easy to conceive, but executing them is often hard. "Agriculture often gets overlooked as economic development," said Mark Reece, a former agriculture and natural resources agent. But he cautioned, "Growing it is just not enough. . . if you don't handle it the way the market wants it to be handled, you get nothing."

The region's most widely distributed commercial resource is timber, but is not professionally managed by most private landowners. SOAR needs to look for ways to encourage them to do that, said David Ditsch of the University of Kentucky's Robinson Center for Appalachian Resource Sustainability. He added that there is also much potential in raising goats, sheep and even cattle on surface-mined land that has been reclaimed in grasses.

SOAR was launched in response to a steep decline in the region's coal industry, but Ron Crouch, a demographer with the state Workforce Development Cabinet, said in the conference's first presentation that the economy of the Eastern Kentucky coalfield has been diversifying for many years, to the point that coal now ranks only sixth in employment, with health care ranking first, and such categories as education and retail trade in between.

SOAR is a bipartisan effort

led by Democratic Gov. Steve Beshear and Republican 5th District U.S. Rep. Hal Rogers of Somerset. Some at the conference noted that a two-term governor from Pikeville, Democrat Paul Patton, created a Kentucky Appalachian Commission, only to see it abolished by his successor, Republican Ernie Fletcher.

Another governor will be elected in 2015. To protect the coming strategic plan from political change, "We've got to have structural changes that are institutionalized," said Hindman lawyer and businessman Bill Weinberg, who headed the foundation for eight years.??

Beshear told the conference that he has tried to make clear that SOAR "will not be directed by Frankfort or Washington," but he said it "needs to overcome the skepticism that greets any government-generated idea," and that will come from "your insight, your ideas and your energy."

JENKINS: Ashland man arrested in Johnson County

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they had been looking for him for a while and that he likes to run.

According to the arrest report, Witten arrived on the scene and Jenkins was blocked in by officers.

"I told him to exit the vehicle and he tried to put it in drive and was revving the engine," Witten said in the report. "He had started fighting with the officers and would not comply."

Witten said in the report that Jenkins refused all field sobriety tests and that he smelled of an alcoholic beverage.

"Jenkins was handcuffed and was cursing at the officers. I asked him for his license. They are suspended and (he) was cursing at the officers," Witten said in the report. "He would not agree to any field sobriety tests and continued to make threats towards the officers."

One of the warrants issued for Jenkins was from an indictment from November 2013 in Johnson County in which is charged with first-degree sexual abuse of a child less than 12 years of age.

According to the indictment, on or about Dec. 6, 2012, Jenkins allegedly knowingly and unlawfully subject-

ed a person less than 12 years old to sexual contact.

The other outstanding warrant was for fleeing and evading charges out of Morgan County.

Jenkins is being held in the Big Sandy Regional Detention Center in Johnson County in lieu of a \$15,000 cash-only bond for charges in case 13-CR-161; \$2,000 for the charges from Morgan County; \$500 for the DUI, suspended DUI and resisting arrest charges. He was also served with a pay-or-stay bench warrant in connection with case number 12-F-146 that requires him to pay \$208 or stay in jail.

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Obituaries

Freddie Brown 1983-2013

MAGOFFIN COUNTY — Freddie Brown, 29, of Salyersville, died Oct. 4, 2013, in Magoffin County.

Born June 1, 1983, in Floyd County, he was the son of Coney and Tina Howard Brown. He was of the Baptist faith.

Additional survivors include two sons, William Fredrick Sharp of Richmond and Samuel Ray Cole of Salyersville; a brother, Jeremy Brian Howard of Salyersville; and two sisters, Tiffany Brown of Richmond and Stacy Brown of Salyersville.

Funeral services were Friday, April 25, at Bethlehem to Calvary Church, with Johnnie Reed officiating. Burial was in Brown Cemetery, Johnson Fork, under direction of Magoffin County Funeral Home, Salyersville.

Roger Morrison 1945-2014

BOYD COUNTY — Roger Morrison, 69 of Rush, died Sunday, April 13, at King's Daughters Medical Center, Ashland.

Born March 13, 1945, at Clean Eagle, W.Va., he was the son of the late John Henry and Lizzie Mae Stewart Morrison. He was a retired carpenter and member of the Rush Holiness Church.

Survivors include his wife, Pam Felty Morrison of Rush; two sons, Robert Shawn Flannery and Anthony Daun Flannery, both of Rush; a daughter, Tammy Jean Salyers of Sandy Hook; four brothers, David Morrison and John Tracy Morrison, both of Rush, Earl Morrison of Nevada, Ohio, and Bill Joe Morrison of Cannonsburg; four sisters, Carol Ingles of Grayson, Marsha McCown of Olive Hill, JoAnn Lefferty of Davin, W.Va., and Juanita Queen of Louisa; 11 grandchildren; and four great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were Friday, April 18, at Malone Funeral Home, with Mark Griffin, and Ed Kouns officiating. Burial was in Cribbs Hill Cemetery, under direction of Malone Funeral Home, Grayson.

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Oneda Jewell Dixon Boggs 1930-2014

LAWRENCE COUNTY — Oneda Jewell Dixon Boggs, 83, of Louisa, formerly of Dry Fork, died Sunday, April 13, at Carter Nursing and Rehab Center, Grayson.

Born Sept. 2, 1930, in Johnson County, she was the daughter of the late Lindsey and Susie Green Dixon. She was a member of the Dry Fork Community Church and a homemaker.

She was also preceded in death by her husband, Rev. Russell Lesley Boggs; two brothers, Elmer Dixon and Russell Dixon; and a sister, Geneva Stapleton.

Survivors include two sons, Stephen L. Boggs of Grove City, Ohio, and Richard E. Boggs of Ashland; a brother, Frank Dixon of Grove City; seven grandchildren; and five great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were Wednesday, April 16, at Malone Funeral Home, with Phillip Litteral officiating. Burial was in Boggs Family Cemetery, Dry Fork, under direction of Malone Funeral Home, Grayson.

Beverly Ann Jayne McGarey 1955-2014

JOHNSON COUNTY — Beverly Ann Jayne McGarey, 58, of Ashland, formerly of Johnson County, died Monday, April 21, at South-

ern Ohio Medical Center, Portsmouth, Ohio.

Born June 9, 1955, in Johnson County, she was the daughter of the late Billy F. and Wilma Vaughan Jayne. She was a homemaker.

She was also preceded in death by a daughter, Bridgette Dawn McGarey.

Survivors include her husband, Richard Lawrence McGarey; two sons, Frank Edward McGarey of Dayton, Ohio, and Frank Edward McGarey II of Ashland; a brother, Johnny Ray Jayne of Medway, Ohio; and a sister, Kathy Sue Tucker, Dayton.

Funeral services were Friday, April 25, at Jones-Preston Funeral Chapel, with Jimmy Price officiating. Burial was in Jayne Cemetery, Staffordsville, under direction of Jones-Preston Funeral Home, Paintsville.

Romine Clifford Hackworth 1933-2014

FLOYD COUNTY — Romine Clifford Hackworth, 80, of David, died Tuesday, April 22, at his residence.

Born Aug. 15, 1933, in Floyd County, he was the son of the late Green and Martha England Hackworth. He was a member of the Dotson Pentecostal Church, Middle Creek, and an auto body repairman.

He was also preceded in death by three brothers, Thomas Hackworth, Sammy Hackworth and Earl Hackworth; and five sisters, Mary Davis, Lucy Prater, Irene Slone, Josephine Baldrige and Phoebe Hackworth.

Survivors include his wife, Alva Bradley Hackworth; a son, David Hackworth of Prestonsburg; two daughters, Josephine Curtis of Chatsworth, Ga., and Barbara Hatfield of Prestonsburg; a brother, Henry Joe Hackworth; nine grandchildren; and nine great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were Friday, April 25, at Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home, with Eugene Haney officiating. Burial was in Hackworth Cemetery, Pyramid, under direction of Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home, Martin.

Ervin Stapleton 1932-2014

JOHNSON COUNTY — Ervin Stapleton, 81, of River, died Tuesday, April 22, at his residence.

Born July 24, 1932, at Paintsville, he was the son of the late Handsford and Amanda Daniel Stapleton. He was a United Baptist by faith and a coal miner.

Survivors include his wife, Betty Wallen Stapleton; a son, Mark Stapleton of Lexington; a daughter, Rhonda Stapleton of Boynton Beach, Fla.; a brother, Jimmy Stapleton of Paintsville; a sister, Esta Mae Price of Mobile, Ala.; and a grandchild.

Funeral services were Friday, April 25, at Preston Funeral Home Chapel, with Southie Fannin Jr. officiating. Burial was in Highland Memorial Cemetery, Staffordsville, under direction of Preston Funeral Home, Paintsville.

Gary Neil Conley 1956-2014

OHIO — Gary Neil Conley, 58, of West Milton, Ohio, died Wednesday, April 9, at University of Cincinnati Medical Center.

Born in Paintsville, he was the son of Jeff and Sue Pennington Conley. He was a member of the Echo Hills Kennel Club, Briard Club of America and the United States Australian Shepherd Association.

Additional survivors include two brothers, Perry

and Jeff; two daughters, Natasha Chesnut, and Colleen Fowler; and two grandchildren.

Funeral services were Monday, April 14, at Light-house Tabernacle, with Rick Clos officiating. Burial was in Terre Haute Cemetery, under direction of Jones-Kenney-Zechman Funeral Home, Springfield, Ohio.

Virginia Sue Sparks Estep 1936-2014

JOHNSON COUNTY — Virginia Sue Sparks Estep, 77, of Lincoln, Ill., died Monday, April 14, in Lincoln.

Born Dec. 10, 1936, she was the daughter of the late Sarah Hattie Castle Sparks. She was a homemaker, retired from Sayre Christian Village and was member of Southern Acres Christian Church.

She was also preceded in death by her husband, James Riley Estep Sr.; three brothers, Dr. O.D. Sparks Jr., Howard Sparks and Richard E. Sparks; and a sister, Anna Colvin.

Survivors include a son, James Riley Estep Jr. of Lincoln; two sisters, Darlene Preston of Canton, Ohio, and Dorothy Bradley of Kenova, W.Va.; and three grandchildren.

Funeral services were Saturday, April 18, at Jones-Preston Funeral Home, under direction of Jones-Preston Funeral Home, Paintsville.

Dwayne Hall 1962-2014

FLOYD COUNTY — Dwayne Hall, 51, of Prestonsburg, died Thursday, April 24, at his residence.

Born May 29, 1962, at McDowell, he was the son of the late Hi and Bethel Mae Johnson Hall. He was a health worker for Glass Rock Home Health.

He was also preceded in death by a brother, Frank Hall; and step-mother, Jean Hayes.

Survivors include his wife, Tammy Sue Marsillette Hall; a son, Brandon Dwayne Hall of Prestonsburg; three brothers, Danny Hall and Teddy Hall, both of Hunter, and Timmy Hall of Drift; and a sister, Fanny Hall of Hunter.

Funeral services were Monday, April 28, at Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home, with Steve Patrick officiating. Burial was in Gethsemane Gardens, Prestonsburg, under direction of Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home, Martin.

James Collins 1956-2014

MAGOFFIN COUNTY

James I. Tackett 1923-2014

LAWRENCE COUNTY — James I. Tackett, 90, of Louisa, passed away Sunday, April 27, at his residence.

He was born Nov. 30, 1923, in Potter, the son of the late Jessie B. and Ollie Trimble Tackett. He was a Federal Employee U.S. Treasury Accounts & Appeals Officer, and a United States Navy World War II and Korea Veteran (Chief Petty Officer). He was active in Louisa Methodist Church and the Republican Party.

In addition to his parents, he was also preceded in death by a sister, Pauline Tackett.

Survivors include his loving wife, Gloria Jean Crank Tackett of Louisa; two sons, James A. Tackett of Lexington and Timothy A. Tackett of Louisa; three sisters, Marie Maynard and Audrey Ormandy, both of Louisa, and Maxine Dam-

— James Collins, 57, of Salyersville, died Thursday, April 24, at his residence.

Born Sept. 23, 1956, at Winamac, Ind., he was the son of the late Connie and Opal Cold-iron Collins.

He was also preceded in death by his wife, Tonitte Auxier Collins; two brothers, Ray Collins and Randall Collins; and a sister, Imogene Caldwell.

Survivors include a son, Jamie Collins of Royalton; a daughter, Starr Gasparac of Salyersville; two brothers, Eddie Collins and Farish Collins, both of Salyersville; four sisters, Connie Sue Connelley, Louise Fitzpatrick and Faye Holiday, all of Salyersville, and Kathleen Arnett of Indiana; and five grandchildren.

Funeral services were Monday, April 28, at Magoffin County Funeral Home Chapel, with Howard Connelley officiating. Burial was in Collins-Holiday Cemetery, Half Mountain, under direction of Magoffin County Funeral Home, Salyersville.

Carl Thomas Hayes 1933-2014

JOHNSON COUNTY — Carl Thomas Hayes, 80, of Tutor Key, died Thursday, April 24, at his residence.

Born July 29, 1933, at Charley, he was the son of the late Carl and Gracie Stambaugh Hayes. He was a member of Belles Chapel Church and a U.S. mail carrier.

Survivors include his wife, Alta Church Hayes; three daughters, Carolyn Harmon of Tutor Key, Sandy Daniel of Lowmansville and Vicky Kise of Louisa; a brother, Willie Hayes of Ulysses; two sisters, Evelyn Adams of Reynoldsburg, Ohio, and Bonnie Sue Hayes of Lowmansville; eight grandchildren; and eight great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were Sunday, April 27, at Belles Chapel Church, with Rick Cordle, Jimmy Vanhooose, and Ronnie Childers officiating. Burial was in Church Family Cemetery, Lowmansville, under direction of Preston Funeral Home, Paintsville.

Ronald Lee Gullett 1936-2014

FLOYD COUNTY — Ronald Lee Gullett, 78, of Bypro, died Saturday, April 26, at University of Kentucky Chandler Medical Center, Lexington.

Born Feb. 24, 1936, at Powellton, W.Va., he was the son of the late Hascal and Gladys Kittle Gullett. He was an electrical engineer, a member of the Wheelwright Freewill Baptist Church and Wheel-

wright Lodge #889 F&AM, past grand patron of the Grand Chapter of Kentucky Order of Eastern Star, former chairman of the board of directors of the Left Beaver Civil Defense and Rescue Squad, payroll manager for the rescue Squad, and a

member of the Wheelwright Lodge #889 F&AM.

He was also preceded in death by a sister, Gloria Harlow.

Survivors include his wife, Barbara Hall Gullett; a son, Daniel Paul Gullett of Bypro; two daughters, Sarah Lynn Smith of Burling-

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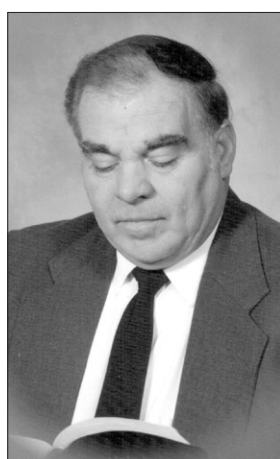
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Douglas McArthur Wilhite 1942-2014

WEST VIRGINIA — Douglas McArthur Wilhite, 71, of Fort Gay, received his promotion to Heaven on Tuesday, April 22.

He was born Oct. 21, 1942, in Havaco, W.Va., the son of the late Floyd Edward and Jessie Victoria Bevins Wilhite. He was pastor of Fort Gay Church of God, a retired bus driver for Wayne County Board of Education and was a United States Army veteran. He was also preceded in death by four brothers, Floyd, Lloyd, Virgil and Bobby; and two sisters, Carol and Barbara.

Survivors include his loving wife, Sedonia England Wilhite of Fort Gay; a daughter, Jenny Rebecca Wilhite of Fort Gay; a son, Douglas McArthur (Cheryl) Wilhite Jr. "Mack" of Louisa; three brothers, Larry Wilhite of Conrow,



Texas, Winford Wilhite of King, N.C. and Irvin Wilhite of Clemmons, N.C.; five grandchildren, Mel-linea, Marshall, Hailey, Brooklyn and Harry; and two great-grandchildren, Nevaeh and Kevin.

Funeral services were 2 p.m., Friday, April 25, at Fort Gay Church of God, with Rev. Randy Smith officiating. Burial was in Riverview Memorial Gardens, Louisa, under direction of Young Funeral Home, Inc., Louisa.

Andy Paul Wheeler 1926-2014

LAWRENCE COUNTY — The sun rose in Blaine, on January 18, 1926, when Andy Paul Wheeler was born to Enoch and Ester Ramey Wheeler.

Andy graduated from high school in 1944, just two days before receiving the call to serve his country in World War II. After Navy training, he boarded the LST-800 and headed for Mobile, Alabama. There, his ship was loaded with ammunition and supplies before heading for Japan by way of California, Hawaii and the Philippines. Andy served at Okinawa and two Jima aboard the LST 800, and continued to support the armed forces following the war as a member of the LST Association, Veterans of Foreign Wars, Disabled Veterans and The American Legion.

After his naval service, Andy attended Morehead State University, where he earned Bachelor's and Master's degrees. He served as principal at Lowmansville and taught at Blaine High School, Louisa High School and Lawrence County High School, before retiring in 1984, after 34 years of teaching.

In 1944, while serving in the Navy on the Pacific Ocean, Andy gave his heart to the Lord. He joined Elizabeth Baptist Church in 1963, where he taught Sunday school for 10 years.

Andy enjoyed raising cattle and reading. He was an historian, especially knowledgeable about the American Civil War, and a Kentucky Colonel. Known for his kindness and generosity, Andy's numerous students, friends and neighbors held him in the



highest regard.

The sun set on April 21, 2014, at J.J. Jordan Geriatric Center, when Andy was taken home to be with his Heavenly Father after a long illness. He was 88 years old.

His parents, and three sisters, Molly May, Delta Salyers and Willie Wheeler, preceded Andy in death.

His loving and faithful wife of almost 65 years, Dretha Lyon Wheeler, and his precious and dedicated son, Nolan Wheeler, both of Blaine, survive Andy.

He is also survived by his sister-in-law, Lee (Forest) Draper of Crossville, Tenn.; two nieces, Janie Blanton of Crossville, Tenn. and Fern (Jack) Woods of Miamisburg, Ohio; a nephew, Bobby (Judy) Salyer of Knoxville, Tenn.; and three great-nieces.

Andy loved his church and requested that, in lieu of flowers, donations be made in his memory to the Elizabeth Baptist Church at Martha.

Services were conducted at Young Funeral Home Chapel, Thursday, April 24, with Rev. Emmett Barker, Rev. Keith Sturgill and Rev. Floyd (Buck) West officiating.

A military ceremony followed at Yatesville Cemetery, under direction of Young Funeral Home, Inc., Louisa.



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ton and Ruth Danette Smith of Wheelwright; two brothers, Lloyd Gullett and Larry Gullett, both of Flatwoods; a sister, Dreama Nelson of Milwaukie, Ore.; and three grandchildren.

Funeral services were Tuesday, April 29, at Wheelwright Freewill Baptist Church, with Louis Ferrari officiating. Order of Eastern Star and Masonic services were held, under direction of Hall Funeral Home, Martin.

Harry Richard Cyrus 1942-2014

FAYETTE COUNTY — Harry Richard Cyrus, 71, of Lexington, formerly of Louisa, died Thursday, April 24, at Saint Joseph Hospice Care Center.

Born Nov. 10, 1942, at Louisa, he was the son of the late James Kenneth Cyrus and Frances Burke Cyrus Taft. He was a retired iron worker and insurance agent with Western Southern Life Insurance Co., a amateur radio operator, "WD4CCI", and served on the Committee of the 101.

Survivors include his wife, Debbie Oney Cyrus; a daughter, Mary Frances Cyrus of Catlettsburg; son, Harry Richard Jr. of Ashland; a step-daughter, Robyn Hould of Lexington; a step-son, Shannon Sanders of Wilmore; 10 grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were Monday, April 28, at Wilson Funeral Home, with Rob Hale and Pete Miller officiating. Burial was in Rose Hill Burial Park, Ashland, under direction of Wilson Funeral Home, Louisa.

William Elsie Conley 1927-2014

MAGOFFIN COUNTY — William Elsie Conley, 86, of Salyersville, died Saturday, April 19, at Salyersville Health Care Center.

Born Sept. 27, 1927, at Salyersville, he was the son of the late Tone and Lassie Hall Conley.

He was also preceded in death by his wife, Lucille Copley Conley; three brothers, James Billy Conley, Curtis Fred Conley and Arlie B. Conley; and a sister, Ann Patrick.

Survivors include a son, Calvin Conley of Lick Creek; a brother, Simon Conley of West Virginia; three sisters, Daisy Fyffe of Campton, Sarah Mullins of Lee City and Maggie Helton of Salyersville; three grandchildren; two step-grandchildren; five great-grandchildren; two step-great-grandchildren; and a step great-great-grandchild.

Funeral services were Tuesday, April 22, at Magoffin County Funeral Home Chapel, with Johnny Reed officiating. Military rites were by Salyersville DAV Chapter 15. Burial was in Cooper Cemetery, Mouth of Buffalo, under direction of Magoffin County Funeral Home, Salyersville.

Henry Ellis "Pete" Burchett 1931-2014

FLOYD COUNTY — Henry Ellis "Pete" Burchett, 82, of Prestonsburg, died Friday, April 25.

Born Nov. 9, 1931, he was the son of the late John Red and Susan Gillespie Burchett.

He was a retired coal miner. He was also preceded in death by a brother, Hem Burchett; three sis-

ters, Gustavia Sword, Bes-sie Boyd and Anne Mae Boyd; and four grandchildren.

Survivors include four sons, Lorinza Burchett, James Jackson Burchett, Michael Landon Burchett and Adas Dean Burchett, all of Prestonsburg; a brother, Jack Burchett; a sister, Dicie Hunt; 10 grandchildren; and several great-grandchildren and great-great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were Tuesday, April 29, at Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home, with Lorraine Howard officiating. Burial was in Burchett and Darby Cemetery, Prestonsburg, under direction of Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home, Martin.

Fayetta Hall 1940-2014

FLOYD COUNTY — Fayetta Hall, 73, of Minnie, died Friday, April 25, at Pikeville Medical Center.

Born July 31, 1940, at Bevinville, she was the daughter of the late Doy and Flora Hall Isaac. She was a homemaker.

She was also preceded in death by a son, Zachery Hall; a brother, Doy Isaac Jr.; and two sisters, Myrtle Mullins and Joyce Cole.

Survivors include her husband, Perry Hall Sr.; three sons, Perry Hall Jr. of Lexington, Terry H. Hall of Streamwood, Ill., and Gregory Hall of Minnie; a sister, Margie Mitchell of Hi Hat; and nine grandchildren.

Funeral services were Monday, April 28, at Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home, with Old Regular Baptist ministers officiating. Burial was in Gethsemane Gardens, Prestonsburg, under direction of Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home, Martin.

Nellie "Nell" Louise Howell 1932-2014

MARTIN COUNTY — Nellie "Nell" Louise Howell, 82, of Beauty, died Saturday, April 26, at her residence.

Born April 3, 1932, at Beauty, she was the daughter of the late James and Sadie Smith. She was a homemaker and member of Beauty Church of Christ.

She was also preceded in death by her husband, Freddie Howell; and five brothers, Okey Smith, Dank Smith, Clyde Smith, Arnold Smith and Prent Smith.

Survivors include a daughter, Brenda Copley of Beauty; a brother, Randy Howell of Beauty; four sisters, Florence Cains of Somerset, Ohio, Geneva Faulkner of Groveport, Ohio, Sue Jude of Beauty and Connie Adams of Columbus, Ohio; a brother, Donald Smith of Somerset, Ohio; three grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were Tuesday, April 29, at Beauty Church of Christ, with Dennis Wolford officiating, under direction of Richmond-Callaham Funeral Home, Inez.

Nancy Katherine Blanton Prater 1937-2014

JOHNSON COUNTY — Nancy Katherine Blanton Prater, 76, of East Point, died Friday, April 25, at her residence.

Born June 20, 1937, at Richmond, she was the daughter of the late Roy and Josie Gray McQueen. She was a homemaker.

She was also preceded in death by her first husband, Bobby Gene Blanton; and second husband, Charles Prater.

Survivors include two

sons, Rick Blanton of Hamilton, Ohio, and Roy Prater of East Point; three daughters, Diana Billiter and Tammy Blanton, both of East Point, and Gail D. Dale of Waverly, Ohio; a brother, Billy McQueen of Hamilton; two sisters, Betty Golder and Kaye Stout, both of Florida; 12 grandchildren; 18 great-grandchildren; and two great-great-grandchildren.

Memorial services will be held at a later date, under direction of Paintsville Funeral Home, Paintsville.

Bob Hamilton 1923-2014

FLOYD COUNTY — Bob Hamilton, 90, of Harold, died Saturday, April 26.

Born April 27, 1923, he was the son of the late Lawrence and Ivelee Roberts Hamilton. He was a retired coal miner and member of the Owsley Freewill Baptist Church.

He was also preceded in death by his first wife, Nola Bell Salisbury Hamilton; two daughters, Virginia Cline and Helen Justice; and five brothers and sisters, Fred Hamilton, Albert Hamilton, Tolvie Hamilton, Gertrude Tackett and Flarie Wilburn.

Survivors include his wife, Joyce Ann Williams Hamilton; three sons, William Hamilton of Holly, Mich., James Hamilton of Stanville and Carmel Hamilton of Harold; six daughters, Allene Hall, Connie Mitchell and Deloris Tackett, all of Harold, Bonnette Bentley of Tennessee, Jennifer Hamilton of Franklin, N.C., and Evie Barrett of Paintsville; a step-son, David Burgess of Racoon; two brothers, Charles Hamilton of Wellington, Ohio, and Curt Hamilton of Bellview, Ohio; two sisters, Estie Mae Wicker of Bellview and Dollie June Jones of Dallas, Texas; 52 grandchildren; 55 great-grandchildren; and 18 great-great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be noon today, Wednesday, April 30, at Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home, with Owsley Freewill Baptist ministers officiating. Burial will be in Justice Cemetery, Harold, under direction of Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home, Martin.

Emelie Hanners Smith Clevinger 1931-2014

PIKE COUNTY — Emelie Hanners Smith Clevinger, 82, of Pikeville, died Wednesday, April 23, at Pikeville Medical Center.

Born July 18, 1931, in Pike County, she was the daughter of the late Ernest and Lassie Lowe Hanners. She was a homemaker.

She was also preceded in death by her first husband, Ralph Smith; her second husband, Leon Clevinger; a brother, Philip Hanners; and a sister, Hazel Taylor.

Survivors include a son, Philip Ralph Smith of Pikeville; two daughters, Linda Kay Justice of Harold and Rachel Michelle Sparkman of Pikeville; five grandchildren; six great-grandchildren; and a great-great-grandchild.

Funeral services were Sunday, April 27, at Gulnare Freewill Baptist Church, with Old Regular Baptist ministers officiating. Burial was in Hanners Cemetery, Pikeville, under direction of R.E. Rogers Funeral Home, Belfry.

Laura Blevins 1932-2014

PIKE COUNTY — Laura Blevins, 81, of Turkey Creek, died Wednesday, April 23, at Williamson Memorial Hospital.

Born June 24, 1932, in Martin County, she was a

daughter of the late Simon and Nora Maynard Horn. She was a homemaker.

She was also preceded in death by her husband, Charlie Blevins; and 13 brothers and sisters.

Survivors include three daughters, Carletta Copley of Chattaroy, W.Va., Peggy Savage and Tina Hatfield, both of Turkey Creek; two sisters, Irene Withrow of Charleston, W.Va., and Ruth VanDyke of Howard, Ohio; five grandchildren; and a great-grandchild.

Funeral services were Sunday, April 27, at Weaver Mortuary, with Danny Lucas officiating. Burial was in Collins Creek Cemetery, Warfield, under direction of Weaver Mortuary, West Williamson.

Loretta Reynolds 1923-2014

JOHNSON COUNTY — Loretta Reynolds, 90, of Newberg, Ore., formerly of Johnson County, died Friday, Jan. 3, in Newberg.

Born Sept. 11, 1923, in Johnson County, she was the daughter of the late John Hobart and Nona Conley Welch. She was a member of the Freewill Baptist Church.

She was also preceded in death by her husband, John Reynolds.

Survivors include a son, John W. Reynolds of Nashville, Tenn.; a daughter, Brenda Clark of Newberg; a brother, Frank Welch of Lynchburg, Ohio; two grandchildren; two great-grandchildren; and two great-great-grandchildren.

Graveside services will be 2 p.m. Saturday, May 3. Burial was in Johnson County Memorial Cemetery, Staffordsville, under direction of Paintsville Funeral Home, Paintsville.

Kristy Nicole McColloch 1986-2014

PIKE COUNTY — Kristy Nicole McColloch, 27, of Pikeville, formerly of Prestonsburg, died Sunday, April 27, at Pikeville Medical Center.

Born Nov. 14, 1986, in Lexington, she was the daughter of Evelyn Burchfield Chaffins of Prestonsburg and the late Milton Dee Chaffins. She was a homemaker.

She was also preceded in death by her husband, Scott McColloch.

Additional survivors include a sister, Della Jones of Prestonsburg.

Funeral services will be Friday, May 2, at Old Time Baptist Church, Printer, with Denver Meade officiating. Burial will be in the family cemetery, Garrett, under direction of Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home, Martin.

James Curtis Sparks Sr. 1948-2014

FLOYD COUNTY — James Curtis Sparks Sr.,

65, of Prestonsburg, died Sunday, April 27, at his residence.

Born Nov. 6, 1948, in Louisa, he was the son of the late Homer and Roselia Wright Sparks. He was a retired salesman and member of Iron Hill Association United Baptist Church.

He was also preceded in death by a brother, Gerald Sparks.

Survivors include his wife, Marjorie Sutton Sparks; two sons, Travis Sparks of Sitka and James Sparks Jr. of Lexington; a daughter, Tamara Sparks

of Prestonsburg; a brother, Johnny Sparks of St. Mary's, Ohio; two sisters, Susan Shoffstall and Julia Brewer, both of St. Mary's; 12 grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be noon today, Wednesday, April 30, at Little Paint United Baptist Church, Oil Springs, with Alan Fannin and Dean Tackett officiating. Burial will be in Gethsemane Gardens, Prestonsburg, under direction of Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home, Martin.

Church Corner

Fort Gay Church of God

A garage sale will be held Friday and Saturday, May 2-3, 9 a.m.-4 p.m. next to the old Fort Gay High School gym. Proceeds go to the building fund. Services are held at the Fort Gay Church of God each week, beginning with Sunday School at 10 a.m., evening worship at 6 p.m.; Wednesday evening at 7 p.m., is family training hour and adult Bible study and youth service. Everyone is welcome by Pastor Douglas Wilhite, and Assistant Pastor Randy Smith. The church is located on Vancouver Street, behind the post office.

Myrtle Chapel Church

Myrtle Chapel Church will have a revival beginning Sunday, May 4, beginning at 6 p.m., and continue thru Saturday, May 10, evening services will begin at 7 p.m. The church has services every Sunday beginning with Sunday School at 10 a.m., followed by morning worship at 11 a.m. Services are also held every Thursday at 7 p.m. For information, call 606-673-4327. Pastor John May welcomes everyone to all services. From Louisa, take Route 3, turn left on Five Forks, from Fallsburg, turn right on Five Forks Road.

Spencer Freewill Baptist Church

Spencer Freewill Baptist Church, 1145 Hwy. 1760, Louisa, will have regular services the first and fourth Saturday of each month, beginning at 7 p.m., and every Sunday with Sunday School at 10 a.m., and worship services at 11 a.m. The church will have a Spring yard sale with a hotdog and bake sale, Friday and Saturday, May 9-10. Cookbooks will also be available. Pastor Roger Ross welcomes everyone to attend.

Sitka Freewill Baptist Church

There will be a yard sale and bake sale on Friday and Saturday, May 2-3, at Sitka Freewill Baptist Church. Glassware, what-nots, clothing, Christmas items and lots more. Everyone is welcome.

Van Lear Church of Christ

There will be a gospel meeting at the Van Lear Church of Christ, Friday, May 3 thru Sunday, May 4, 7 p.m., nightly. Guest speaker will be Brother James D. McDonald of Woodbury, Tenn. Everyone is welcome to attend.

New Beginning Community Church

New Beginning Community Church, 109 South Lackey Ave., Louisa, has services every Sunday, beginning with Sunday School at 10 a.m., worship at 11:30 a.m. Services are also held on Thursday and Saturday at 7 p.m. Pastor Kenneth Bailey and assistant pastor Noah Robertson welcome everyone to attend.

Rising Son Church

Services are held each week at Rising Son Church, 114 Rising Son Lane, Prestonsburg, beginning with Sunday worship at 11 a.m.; Wednesday worship at 6:30 p.m. Pastor D.P. Curry welcomes everyone.

Lowmansville First Church of God


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There are big legal battles in the news these days going up, there's the costs we pay for simple Internet access. Those are high and always going up, too. Several studies have noted that the U.S., among developed nations, pays more for Internet - and gets the slowest speeds.

Let's remember that we the customers are the ones generating those big bucks, and we have to be smart about what we're paying and why.

Leaving aside our cable TV bills, which are always going up, there's the costs we pay for simple Internet access. Those are high and always going up, too. Several studies have noted that the U.S., among developed nations, pays more for Internet - and gets the slowest speeds.

No wonder that a lot of us are trying to figure out a way to lower our Internet bills. I've got three suggestions.

Step one is calling your provider at least once a year to go over your bill to figure out what you are paying for and why, for both cable TV and Internet. Here's another true story: I recently found I had been charged for a big sports package over the previous two months - and got actual attitude from the customer-service rep when I said I wanted a refund.

It turned out that, in a previous upgrade, even though I hadn't asked for it, the company had slipped in the package free for a year. Why? Because the fine print said they could start charging for it after the year was up! Nice.

Check and see what exactly you're paying for each month, and make sure you're not paying for something you're not getting. Test your bandwidth speed to make sure you're getting something in the general area of what the company is promising. I have a tip on my site (<http://www.komando.com/tips/12435/find-out-if-youre-getting-the-cellular-speed-you-paid-for>) to help you figure it out.

Two, consider what alternatives you have available to you; if you can, threaten to take your business somewhere else and see if that nets you a discount of some sort.

But there's a catch: The biggest problem all of us have with our cable and Internet bills is that there just isn't actual competition in most cities. We've got one choice for high-speed Internet - or nothing.

But there's a class of people who actually do have a choice. Not every household is sucking up multiple lines of Netflix at any given time. Nor does everyone have a streaming music service on eight hours a day.

If you're not in one of those categories, consider checking out a local service that almost always provides competition to a cable modem. It's good old DSL.

DSL was a hot new technology 15 or 20 years ago. Today, it's an also-ran. DSL speeds have increased in recent years. There are new innovations on the

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PICTURED FRONT ROW, left to right: Paintsville students who entered projects in the 2014 CEDAR Coal Fair: Peyton Deaton, Grant Castle Hannah Ousley and Meg Pugh; **Back row**, left to right: teacher Jennifer Fowler, Alex Fowler, Anna Bussey, Kaitlynn Wright, Madi Farrar and Chloe Lafferty; not pictured: Gunnar Preston and Seth Williams.



PICTURED IS EMILY Fowler, the overall elementary winner.



PICTURED LEFT TO right: Alex Fowler, Meg Pugh, Kaitlynn Wright (overall middle school winners).

GOVERNOR'S SCHOLARS



THE PAINTSVILLE INDEPENDENT School District announced that Katherine Dale and Kerrigan Sammons have been selected to the Governor's Scholars Program, which strives to enhance Kentucky's next generation of civic and economic leaders. Established in 1983, the program provides academic and personal growth through the balance of a strong liberal arts program with a full co-curricular and residential life experience. Students must complete an application and compete with others from across the state. Those selected attend the program free of charge.



FALLSBURG ELEMEN- TARY First-grade student Brody Dotson's (above middle) name was selected from a pool of other students who completed their Passport to Health booklets. The booklet contained a variety of health activities during March and April including eating fruits and vegetables, physical activity and adequate sleep. The program was sponsored by the Lawrence County Community Diabetes and Health Action Team. Pictured with Brody are his teacher, Tammy Marcum (left), and Stephanie Derifield, Lawrence County Extension agent for family and consumer Sciences.



Air Force Airman Gregory T. Petkewicz graduated from basic military training at Joint Base San Antonio-Lackland, San Antonio, Texas.

The airman completed an intensive, eight-week program that included training in military discipline and studies, Air Force core values, physical fitness, and basic warfare principles and skills.

Airmen who complete basic training earn four credits toward an associate in applied science degree through the Community College of the Air Force.

Petkewicz is the son of John Petkewicz of Lockport, Ill., and Geri McMillan of Louisa.

He is a 2013 graduate of Plainfield Central High School, Plainfield, Ill.

Paintsville students enter projects in CEDAR Coal Fair

PAINTSVILLE — In April, several Paintsville Elementary and Junior High students submitted 20 projects for the 2014 Regional CEDAR Coal Fair held in Pikeville. Over 400 projects from 12 surrounding counties were submitted.

The following Paintsville students placed in their age division and category: third place, middle school science, Anna Bussey, Grant Castle and Peyton Deaton; second place, middle school math, Gunnar Preston and Seth Williams; second place, middle school technology, Madi Farrar, Chloe Lafferty and Hannah Ousley; first place, middle school music, Meg Pugh and Kaitlynn Wright; first place, middle school technology, Alex Fowler; and first place, elementary technology, Emily Fowler.

In addition, overall grade

level winners were chosen. The following Paintsville students received overall honors for their projects: second place overall, Emily Fowler; second place overall, middle school, Alex Fowler; and third place overall, middle school, Meg Pugh and Kaitlynn Wright.

Paintsville Junior High teacher Jennifer Fowler also participated in the awards program, receiving first-place titles as the coal fair coordinator and coal study unit coordinator.

"Paintsville Junior High had the highest average of all schools participating in the event," she said. "This shows the dedication and work ethic of our students, parents, and faculty. Our high expectations result in a wonderful demonstration of their knowledge about our region's coal industry."

Floyd students named to Governor's Scholars Program

PRESTONSBURG — Floyd County Superintendent Henry Webb recently announced the Floyd County students who have been selected for the Kentucky Governor's Scholar Program, an enhanced summer learning program for students going into their senior year of high school.

Along with an incredible experience, students receive scholarships that average more than \$60,000, depending on the college/university the student selects.

The Floyd County students selected are:

- Thomas Case, Allen Central High School
- Christopher Blake Howell, Allen Central High School
- Megan Little, Allen Central High School
- Tyler Price, Allen Central High School
- McKenzie Akers, Betsy Layne High School
- Allison Moe, Betsy Layne High School

- Rebekah Tackett, Prestonsburg High School
- Angel Thornsberry, Prestonsburg High School
- Megan Bates, South Floyd High School
- Alex Tackett, South Floyd High School

The process for selection as a Governor's Scholar is detailed and competitive. Along with a written essay, students are judged on the quality of their grades and test scores. Our best then compete with students from across Kentucky.

"Congratulations to these outstanding students as they've worked hard to obtain this prestigious honor," Webb said. "The board team and I want to thank the students' families and their teachers for supporting these exceptional young ladies and gentlemen. We're excited about the many opportunities that the Governor's Scholar Program will offer them this summer and in the future."



Alex Tackett



Megan Bates



Allissa Moe



Megan Marie Little



Angel Thornsberry



Rebekah Tackett



Christopher Blake Howell



Thomas Case



McKenzie Akers



Tyler Price

Community Calendar

Send your BSN Community Calendar notices to: The Big Sandy News Community Calendar, P.O. Box 766, Louisa, Ky. 41230 or by e-mail to: brenda@bigsandynews.com or by fax to: (606) 638-9949.

Wednesday, April 30

Narcotics Anonymous meetings are held every Wednesday at 8 p.m. at Three Rivers Medical Center, third floor conference room, Louisa. Enter thru the main entrance. To find an NA meeting near you, call 855-319-8869, or the website: grassrootsna.org.

Big Sandy Community and Technical College in partnership with EKCEP, Big Sandy Area Community Action Program, and the Kentucky Career Center, will sponsor a job fair, 10 a.m.-2 p.m., on the Mayo campus, Paintsville. For information, call 606-7889-1786 or 606-789-3641.

Thursday, May 1

Big Sandy Community and Technical College will hold monthly intermediate Aerobics classes on its Prestonsburg campus, May 1 thru Dec. 23, Monday-Thursday, 5-6 p.m. For information, call 606-889-4769 or email brenda.miller@kctcs.edu.

Friday, May 2

Lawrence County Schools preschool/headstart/kindergarten registration and screening will be held 9 a.m.-2 p.m., at the Lawrence County Community Center, for Louisa West Elementary, Blaine Elementary, Fallsburg Elementary, and Northeast Head Start. For information, 606-638-9671 (preschool), 606-638-9060 (Northeast), 606-638-4726 (Louisa West), 606-686-2351 (Fallsburg), and 606-652-3624 (Blaine).

Big Sandy Community and Technical College will hold basic rider motorcycle I classes on its Prestonsburg campus,

Friday thru Sunday, May 2-4. For information, call 606-889-4769, or email brenda.miller@kctcs.edu.

Saturday, May 3

The Septemberfest Committee will have a yard sale, 9 a.m., in the parking lot of Joe Young Insurance, Rt. 2565, Louisa. Proceeds will go toward this year's festival in Louisa. To donate items, call 606-638-4581, or 606-793-1842.

The annual yard sale fundraiser of the Fort Gay Area Lions Club will be at the home of Truman and Gail Salyers on Fuller Ridge Road, off Ky. Rt. 3, Louisa. Grilled hot dogs will be available. Deliveries of hot dogs will be held in the Fort Gay/Louisa area. To donate, call 606-638-3392, large items will also be accepted for consignment sale. The Lions Club pays for eye exams and glasses and provides other eyesight services to those who meet income guidelines. The club serves all who live in the Fort Gay/Louisa area.

The Lawrence County Quilted Treasures annual quilt show will be held at the Lawrence County Extension office, 249 Industrial Park Road, Louisa, 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Everyone is welcome.

Sunday, May 4

The Louisa American Legion W.O. Johnson Post 89 will meet at 2 p.m., at the Legion Hall, 113 South Vinson St., Louisa. For information, call 606-673-3941.

Monday, May 5

The Cooper/Clayton Method to Stop Smoking classes are

on-going at Saint Joseph-Martin every Monday, at 10:30 a.m., in the Sexton Complex lower level conference room. For information, call 606-285-6691.

Tuesday, May 6

Friends of Yatesville will hold its monthly meeting at 6 p.m. at the Lawrence County Conference Center at Yatesville Lake. Everyone is invited to attend.

The Louisa VFW Post 6103 will meet at 6 p.m., at the Post, 113 South Vinson St., Louisa. For information, call 606-673-3718.

"Landscape Design" will be held today, at the Lawrence County extension office, 249 Industrial Park Road, Louisa. "Pesticides and Pesticide Safety" will be Tuesday, May 13. All classes are 6-9 p.m. For information, call 606-674-9495.

An afternoon tea will be held 1-2:30 p.m., at the OSCAR Center, to learn more about breast cancer, and become an ambassador for Kentucky First Lady Jane Beshear and her Horses and Hope Program. Seating is limited. For information, call 606-793-7006.

The City of Paintsville is planning for future recreational center developments that will result in new and improved recreational opportunities for area residents. The public is invited to attend an informational meeting at the Sipp Theater, Main Street, Paintsville, at 5 p.m. For information, call 606-789-2600.

The Rough Riders Saddle Club of Lewis County will meet at 7 p.m., at the Lewis County extension office, 284 2nd Street, Vanceburg. For information, call 606-757-4276, or 606-541-0841.

Miscellaneous

Activities at the Floyd County Public Library, Prestonsburg, are Wednesday, April 30, walking at 6 p.m.; Thursday, May 1, Outreach craft class at McDowell Senior Citizens Center, Thursday night came night at Minnie at 5 p.m.; Friday, May 2, basic internet class (using Google search engine) 10 a.m., in Prestonsburg, and 1 p.m., at Minnie, and walking at 6 p.m.; Saturday, May 3, Comic Cosplay meeting, 10 a.m., Prestonsburg. For information, call 606-886-2981.

A veterans benefits field representative will be at the Kentucky Career Center, 686 North Lake Dr., Prestonsburg, on Wednesday, May 7, 9 a.m.-3 p.m. For information, call 866-647-2926; and Wednesday, May 14, from 9 a.m.-noon, at the Lawrence County Courthouse, Louisa. For information, call 866-244-8970. This is a free service for veteran and their dependents filing for federal and state veteran benefits.

Grayson RECC will hold their annual membership meeting on Thursday, May 8, at headquarters. Registration will be 7:30 a.m., to 6 p.m. Light refreshments will be served all day. Door prizes will be given. For information, call 606-474-5136, or 800-562-3532.

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awarded no later than July 31, 2014.

Office hours are 8 am to 4:30 pm Monday through Friday. Office locations are as follows: Floyd County, 60 Court Street, Allen, (606) 874-3595; Johnson County, Johnson County Courthouse, 230 Court St., Paintsville, (606) 789-6515; Magoffin County, 131 South Church Street, Salyersville, (606) 349-2217; Martin County, Roy F. Collier Community Center, Suite 203, Inez, (606) 298-3217; and Pike County, 478 Town Mountain Road, Pikeville, (606) 432-2775; or Pike County Job-Sight, 120 South Riverfill Drive, Pikeville, (606) 218-2106.

Scholarship funding is made possible by Community Services Block Grant with funds made available by the Cabinet for Health and Family Services and the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services.

The Johnson County Public Library will discuss the book "Aunt Arie: A Foxfire Portrait," from 12:10-12:50 p.m., Thursday, May 8. Bring your own lunch. For information, call 606-789-4355.

Big Sandy Community and Technical College will hold CDL truck driving classes May 8 thru June 16 on its Hager Hill Campus, Monday-Friday, 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m. For information, call 606-788-2923, or email brenda.miller@kctcs.edu.

Big Sandy Community and Technical College will host a pinning ceremony for its respirator therapy program at 7 p.m., Thursday, May 8, in the Gearheart Auditorium, Prestonsburg campus. For information, call 606-788-2822 or email Melissa.skeens@kctcs.edu.

There will be a Tools for Supporting Local Businesses for Economic Resiliency workshop held Friday, May 9, 9 a.m.-5 p.m., at the Big Sandy Area Development District, 110 Resource Court, Prestonsburg. Space is limited, attendance by advance registration only. Register online at goo.gl/8yy1EX today.

Big Sandy Community and Technical College will hold its commencement ceremonies, 7 p.m., Friday, May 9, at the Mountain Arts Center, Prestonsburg. A commencement and pinning ceremony for nursing and dental hygiene graduates will be 10 a.m., Saturday, May 10, at the Mountain Arts Center. For information, call 606-886-7347 or email jimmy.wright@kctcs.edu.

The Art Gallery, in the Magoffin Learning Resource Center, on Big Sandy Community and Technical College Prestonsburg campus, will feature the work of current students thru Friday, May 9. The gallery is open Monday-Thur., 9 a.m.-3 p.m., and Friday, 9 a.m.-noon. For information, call 606-886-3863, ext. 64746.

Rough Riders Saddle Club of Lewis County will have a Pleasure Horse Show, Saturday, May 10, (rain date May 17), at Jim Everman Memorial Horse Park, Grayson. Pre-registration is at 12:30 p.m., show begins at 2 p.m. For information, call 606-757-9110, or 606-232-7096.

Community Hospice will have volunteer training, May 13-14, 10 a.m.-4 p.m., at the First Baptist Church, 301 West Pike Street, Louisa. For information, call 800-717-4176, or 606-297-1095.

The Country Music Highway Road to Fame tickets are now on sale for the MAC Qualification rounds (includes all contestants from Floyd and Boyd auditions) to be held Saturday, May 17, at 6 p.m., by calling 606-889-9125. Tickets for the U-Pike Booth Auditorium Qualification Rounds (includes all contestants from Pike and Perry county auditions), on Sunday, May 18, at 6 p.m., will be sold at the door only.

TALENT ON DISPLAY



BRAD CALDWELL OF Salyersville displayed his artwork "Tunnel to an Open Road" at the BSCTC Art Gallery.



JUSTIN MARTIN OF Paintsville positioned his piece "Mind's Eye" in the BSCTC Art Gallery. Artwork from current students will be on display through May 9.



HAYLEY SLONE OF Prestonsburg displays her artwork "Park" in the BSCTC Art Gallery.

BSCTC features student exhibits in Art Gallery through May 9

PRESTONSBURG – The art gallery at Big Sandy Community and Technical College will feature an exhibit of drawings and paintings from students through Friday, May 9.

Tim Smith, associate professor of art at BSCTC, said the exhibit features work from his Art 110 (Drawing) and Art 220 (Painting) classes.

"This is a tribute to our students and their hard work and dedication throughout the semester," said Smith. "This exhibit will cover a broad range of art."

The exhibit features draw-

ing techniques, including one-point linear perspectives and paintings that vary from representational to abstractions.

A reception for the artists will be held on Thursday, April 17, at 6 p.m. The public is invited to attend.

The art gallery is located in the Magoffin Learning Resource Center on BSCTC's Prestonsburg campus. It is open Monday through Thursday from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. and Fridays from 9 a.m. to noon. For more information, contact Tim Sizemore at (606) 886-3863, Ext. 64746.

MCDAVID-MCKENZIE TO WED



STEPHANIE MCDAVID AND Jesse David McKenzie, both of Johnson County, will exchange wedding vows Saturday, May 10 at 3:30 p.m. at Mayo Memorial United Methodist Church in Paintsville. The gracious custom of open ceremony will be observed.

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way, too. For a household that basically just surfs the Web and watches YouTube videos, it's plenty fast enough – and you might save \$30 or more on your Internet bill per month.

And in fact, if you read the Netflix and Pandora fine print, you'll see that the basic requirements are pretty low and should work decently with many DSL services.

DSL is generally provided by your local phone company. It comes in to your house over their copper lines. Try giving that company a call and ask to hear their DSL pitch. If you're a potential defector to DSL from a big local cable-modem provider, I'll bet you can get a pretty good deal.

Also take the time to check out a number of other new Internet services being rolled out through the country. One is Verizon's FIOS service; another is AT&T's U-Verse. Both of these are trying to bring the promise of fiber closer to actual consumers, though in a somewhat jury-rigged system. Because it costs too much to run fiber to every household, the companies are using copper phone lines, DSL style, for the so-called "last mile" to custom-

ers' homes. Since these services are designed to compete with local cable providers, you should find some good sign-up options.

Finally, here's a tip that some families with kids might not know about. Most cable companies offer a basic and no-frills \$10 a month Internet connection to certain families. The qualifier: You have to have a child who is enrolled in the National School Lunch Program. The idea is that this helps low-income families with kids not be left on the bad side of the so-called "digital divide."

Need more tips on saving money on your cable bill? I've got them at <http://www.komando.com/tips/239483/4-secrets-to-save-big-on-your-cable-bill?auth=checked>.

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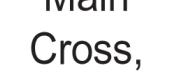
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FALLSBURG SAVAGE MEMORIAL CHURCH: Sunday morning worship, 9:30 a.m., Sunday School 10:30 a.m.; and Tuesday night Bible study, 7 p.m. Pastor Keith Workman.

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FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH: 410 Madison, Louisa. Minister Richard Copley. 638-9062. Sun. School 10 a.m.; Sun. worship 11 a.m.

FIRST CHURCH OF GOD: Lowmansville. Sun. School 10 a.m. Worship service 11 a.m. Evening service 6 p.m. Wed. service 7 p.m. Pastor David Watson.

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FORT GAY BAPTIST: Sun. School 10 a.m. Worship 11 a.m. Sun. 7 p.m. Wed. Bible study 7 p.m. Pastor Tim Preston.

GALLUP UNITED METHODIST CHURCH: Hwy. 2037, Chapman. Sun. worship 9:30 a.m., Donna Aros, pastor, 638-0084.

GARRETT CHAPEL UNITED METHODIST CHURCH: Rt. 3. Sunday services 10 a.m. Wednesday service. 6 p.m. Minister, Robert Kelly. Call 606-686-1015.

G L E N H A Y E S FREEWILL BAPTIST CHURCH: Sun. School at 10 a.m., Worship service at 11 a.m. & 7 p.m. Youth Meeting, Wed. 6 p.m.

God Living Church: Mattie Road, Rt. 1760, Louisa. Services Friday, 6 p.m., Sunday 10 a.m. and 6 p.m. Pastor Roy Hazlett. (606) 638-3754.

GOD'S HOUSE OF FAITH, behind C&W Barber Shop, Ricky Skaggs Blvd., Louisa. Services Sundays 6 p.m., Wed. 7 p.m. Pastor Roy Ratliff.

G R E E N B R I A R MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH: Sun. School 10 a.m. Worship 11 a.m. Pastor: Johnny R. Adkins.

GARDEN OF HOPE BAPTIST CHURCH: Sun. School 10 a.m., Worship 11 a.m. Thurs. night Prayer & Bible Study. Pastor Darrell Ratliff.

HARVEY MEMORIAL FREEWILL BAPTIST CHURCH: On Hampton Ridge Rd. Radnor, WV. Pastor Ronnie Saul.

KINGDOM HALL: Point Section. Sun. Bible Educational Talk 10 a.m. Watchtower study 11 a.m. Tues. Bible Study 7:30 p.m. Thurs. Theocratic School 7:30 p.m. Service meeting 8:30 p.m.

IRISH CREEK BAPTIST CHURCH AT WATERSON: Pastor Lincus Hogston and assist. pastor Charlie Wilks. Sun. services at 2 p.m. Business meetings first Wed. of each month.

LIGHTHOUSE FREE WILL BAPTIST CHURCH: 103 Lock Street, Louisa. Sun. School 10 a.m., Sun. worship 11 a.m., Sun. evening 6 p.m. Wed. service 7 p.m. with youth activities. Pastor Jim Bevins.

LOUISA COMMUNITY FELLOWSHIP CHURCH: 132 S. Main Cross Louisa, KY 41230. Sunday School Classes for all ages: 10:00 A.M. Sunday Morning Worship Service: 11:00 A.M. Sunday Evening Worship Service: 6:00 P.M. Tuesday Evening Bible Study: 7:00 P.M. Pastor Rick May invites all.

LOUISA FREE WILL BAPTIST CHURCH: Louisa. Ron Burger, pastor, Sun. School-10 a.m., Worship-11 a.m., Sun. night service 7 p.m. Wed. night service 7 p.m.

LOUISA UNITED METHODIST CHURCH: Sun. School 10 a.m. Sun. services 11 a.m. Sun.

night services and youth meeting - 6:30 p.m.; Wed. service - 6:30 p.m. Pastor Wayne Watts.

LOUISA CHURCH OF GOD: Point Section, Louisa. Sun. School 10 a.m. Worship 11 a.m. Sun. 6 p.m. & Wed. 7 p.m. Pastor Paul L. Stepp.

MACEDONIA COMMUNITY CHURCH: Services are held every week at Macedonia Community Church, 104 North Lackey Ave., Louisa. Sunday School at 10 a.m., with worship at 11 a.m. Pastor John Deboard welcomes everyone. 606-638-3964.

MATTIE CHURCH: Sun. school 10 a.m., Sun. worship 11 a.m.; Thurs. night service 7 p.m., 3rd Sat. night service 7 p.m.

MARANATHA BIBLE CHURCH: Webbsville School grounds. Sun. School 10:30 a.m. Worship 11:15 a.m. & 7 p.m. Wed. service & Youth Meeting 7 p.m. Thurs. visitation 7 p.m. Pastor: Jesse Fyffe & Stephen Owen.

MAZIE UNION BAPTIST CHURCH: Church services - 1st Sat. of each month 7 p.m., every Sunday at 7 p.m. Pastor Burl Lewis.

MEADES BRANCH FREEWILL BAPTIST CHURCH: U. S. 23, Sun. School 9:45 a.m. Worship 11 a.m. Sun. 7 p.m. 3rd Sat. 7 p.m. C. T. S. all ages Wed. 7 p.m. Women's Auxiliary 1st Monday each month, 7 p.m. Pastor: Darrin Rice.

MOORES CHAPEL: U.S. 23, Louisa. Services Sunday evening at 6 p.m. Pastor Bob Wellman, Assistant Pastor Lowell Maynard.

MORGANS CREEK FREEWILL BAPTIST CHURCH: Sun. School 10 a.m., Sun. worship 11 a.m. Wed. service at 7 p.m. Pastor Glen Vanhoose.

MINISTRY OF SALVATION CHURCH: Located at Bear Creek on 707 Pastor Rev. James E. Sexton. Services 7 p.m. Sat. & 12 noon Sun.

MT. ZION MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH: Located on Bear Creek at Buchanan. Service 10 - 11 every Sun. morning. Pastor Eugene (Gene) Masters.

MYRTLE CHAPEL CHURCH: Five Forks Rd., Louisa. Sun. school 10 a.m., worship 11 a.m.; Thurs., 7 p.m. Pastor John May.

NEW BEGINNING COMMUNITY CHURCH, 109 S. Lackey Ave., Louisa, Sunday School 10 a.m., worship 11:30 a.m.; Thursday & Saturday 7 p.m. Pastor Kenneth Bailey and asst. pastor Noah Robertson.

NEW FRIENDSHIP UNITED BAPTIST CHURCH: Rt. 5, Louisa. Sun. School at 10 a.m. Church Services: Sun. and every 3rd Sat. at 7 p.m. Pastor John Goble.

NEW LIFE OUTREACH CHURCH: located on Cedar Heights Road, Fort Gay. Pastor Steve Ramey, assistant pastor, Curt Marcum. Sun. School, 10 a.m., morning worship at 11 a.m., Sun. evening, 7 p.m.; Tues. evening, 7 p.m.

OPEN BIBLE CHURCH: Rt. 1, Fort Gay. Pastor James Castle, Asst. Pastor Jack Webb. Sun. School 10 a.m.. Sun. night 7 p.m., Bible Study Mondays at 7 p.m.

OLD PATH CHURCH AT BLAINE: Thurs. and Sun. night services at 7 p.m. Pastor Darrell Priode.

RICHARDSON PRIMITIVE BAPTIST CHURCH: Sunday worship 7 p.m. Wed. Youth Group and adult Bible study 7 p.m. Worship first Sat. 7 p.m. Pastor Tommy Meade. Assist. pastor Brad Dutton.

RICHARDSON MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH: Off Rt. 645 in Lawrence County. Sun. School 10 a.m., Worship 11 a.m., Wed. 6 p.m., Gospel sing every 2nd Friday at 6 p.m. Pastor Merle Little, (606) 673-1250.

SALT PETRE CHRISTIAN CHURCH: Tug Fork Road, Fort Gay - Sun. School 9:45 a.m., Worship & youth church 11 a.m.; Tues. Discipleship Class 7:30 p.m.; Bible study/Youth service on Wednesday. Pastor Richard Maynard, www.saltpetre.net.

SMITH CHAPEL: Point Section. Tues., Sat. & Sun. 7:30 p.m. Youth, Thurs. 7 p.m. Ladies Auxiliary 3rd Wed. of each month at 6:30 p.m. Sun. School at 10 a.m. Pastor Charles N. Thompson.

SMOKEY VALLEY ENTERPRISE BAPTIST CHURCH: Rt. 1, Louisa. Sun. School 10 a.m. Worship 11 a.m. Sun. night service at 6 p.m. Wed. services & Youth meeting 7 p.m. 1st Sat. of each month at 7 p.m. Pastor Doug Kelly.

ST. JUDE CATHOLIC CHURCH: 1121 Meadowbrook Lane, Louisa. 638-3409. Sun. Mass 11 a.m. Holy Days 7 p.m., Weekday masses, Monday, Tues., Thurs., Friday 7:00 a.m. Wed. 7 p.m. Pastor Fr. Michael Ramler

SMITH CHAPEL: Webbsville. Sun. School 10 a.m. Worship service 11 a.m. Youth and adult Bible Study 6:30 p.m. to 8 p.m., on Monday. Ages 4 and up. Pastor Johnnie Boggs.

SMITH MEMORIAL UNITED METHODIST CHURCH: Prichard, WV. Pastor: James Gearheart. Sun. School 10 a.m. Evening services: Sun. & Tues. 7:30 p.m.

SPENCER FREEWILL BAPTIST CHURCH Hwy. 1760, Louisa. Sun. School 10 a.m., worship 11 a.m. 1st & 4th Sat. night 7 p.m. Pastor Roger Ross.

SOUTHSIDE BAPTIST CHURCH: Located on the side road from Wilson Funeral Home. Sun. School 10 a.m., Worship 11 a.m., Fri. service at 6 p.m. Pastor Joe Moore.

THE SUNSHINE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH: Sun. School, 9:45 a.m., Worship 10:45 a.m. & 7 p.m.; UMYF 7 p.m. Wed. Bible Study 7 p.m. Sunshine Kids, 7 p.m.

TABORS CREEK MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH: Sun. School 10 a.m., Worship 11:30 a.m. Sun. night service 7 p.m., Wed. night service 7 p.m. Pastor Conley Swafford.

TARK HILL BREAD OF LIFE CHURCH: Rt. 201 Blaine. Services: Sun. School 1 p.m., Worship service 2 p.m., Wed. night 7 p.m. Pastor Albert Horn and Assistant Pastor Virgil Ferguson.

UNITY BAPTIST CHURCH: Blaine. Sun. school 10 a.m., Worship service 11 a.m., evening youth service 6 p.m. Wednesday Bible Study 7 p.m. Pastor Ed Austin.

UPPER TABORS CREEK FREEWILL BAPTIST CHURCH: Fort Gay. Tues. - Youth Group 6 p.m., Wed. Bible Study 6 p.m., Sun. School 10 a.m., Worship 11 a.m. Sat. 6 p.m. Pastor Conley Swafford.

WALNUT GROVE CHURCH: Ulysses. Sun. school 10 a.m., Worship service 11 a.m. & 7 p.m. Tues. 7 p.m. Business meeting & worship service every 1st Sat. 7 p.m. Pastor Jimmy Vanhoose.

WEBB CHAPEL CHURCH: Located at Cooksey Fork, Sun. school at 10 a.m., worship services 11 a.m., 2nd & 4th Sunday at 6 p.m. Pastor Ralph Hogston.

WHITES CREEK UNITED METHODIST CHURCH: Sun. School 10 a.m. Worship 11 a.m. Sun. & Wed. night services 7 p.m. Pastor John W. Moore.

WILSON'S CHAPEL at foot of Bromley Ridge. Services every Mon. at 7 p.m. Pastor Lemmuel Little.

MARTIN COUNTY

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GOLDEN MEMORIAL METHODIST - Sun. school 10 a.m., Worship 11 a.m., Evening service 6 p.m., Wed. Bible Study and prayer meeting 7 p.m.

HODE CHURCH OF GOD - Sunday School 11 a.m., Sunday worship 12 noon. Pastor Tracy Dingess.

I N D E P E N D E N T BAPTIST CHURCH - Old Blackburn Farm in Martin Co. Sun. services at 7 p.m. Pastor, Jess Canterbury. For info, contact Bobby Maynard, 298-3912.

INEZ CHURCH OF CHRIST - Coldwater Road. Sun. Bible study 10 a.m., Evening worship 6 p.m., Wed. Bible study and prayer meeting 7 p.m., nursery. Elders Lewis Maynard and Larry Moore.

INEZ FREEWILL BAPTIST CHURCH - Sun. School 10:00 a.m. Sun. worship 11:00 a.m. Thursday night services 7 p.m. Pastor David Hanner.

BOONES CAMP CHURCH OF GOD Sun. school 10 a.m., Sun. worship 11 a.m., Sun. 6 p.m., Thurs. 7 p.m.

CALF CREEK COMMUNITY CHURCH - Sun. School 10 a.m., Sun. service 7 p.m., Prayer meeting 7 p.m.

CALF CREEK UNITED BAPTIST - 2nd Sat. of each mo. worship, Thurs. prayer service 7 p.m., Sun. School 10 a.m., worship 11 a.m.

CALVARY TEMPLE OF LOVELY - Sun. School 10 a.m., Worship 11 a.m. Evening service 6 p.m., Mid-week service and youth activities Wed. 7 p.m.

CROWN OF LIFE BAPTIST - At top of Turkey Hill. Services Sun. morning at 11 a.m.; Wed. at 7 p.m. Pastor Tom Stacy.

CRUM MISSIONARY BAPTIST - Sun. School 10 a.m. ; Worship 11 a.m., 6 p.m. Wed. 7 p.m. Pastor Don Matney

CURRY MEMORIAL FREEWILL BAPTIST - Kermitt - Sun. School 10 a.m. Eve. Services - Sun. 7 p.m. Thurs. 7 p.m., except 2nd Sun. each mo. 11:30 a.m. & no night service this day.

DAVELLA CHURCH OF CHRIST - Sun. church 10:30 a.m., Sun. evening 6 p.m., Wed. Bible Study 7 p.m.

DAVISPORT FREEWILL BAPTIST - Sun. school 10 a.m., Sun. worship 11 a.m., Wed. prayer service 7 p.m. Pastor Willie Goble.

ELIZABETH UNITED BAPTIST - 3rd Sat. at 2:30 p.m., Fri. prayer service at 7 p.m. Pastor Prentice Meade.

EAST KERMIT CHURCH OF GOD - Sun. school 10 a.m., Sun. service 11 a.m. Evening service 7 p.m., Wed. 7 p.m.

EAST KERMIT FREEWILL BAPTIST - Sun. school 10 a.m., Sun. service 11:30 a.m., Wed. Prayer Meeting 7 p.m., 3rd Sat. 7 p.m.

FAITH CHURCH OF GOD - East Kermitt - Sun. Morning 10:30. Sun. Evening 6:00 Wed. 7:00. 1st Sun. 11:00. Pastor Gregory Bartam.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF KERMIT Sun. school 10 a.m., Sun. service 11 a.m., Evening service 7 p.m., Wed. prayer meeting.

FREEDOM FREWILL BAPTIST - New Rt. 3, Deboard. Sun. School 10 a.m., Worship 11 a.m., Wed. Prayer Service 7 p.m., Pastor Larry Goble.

FRIENDSHIP UNITED BAPTIST - Sun. school 10 a.m., Church 3rd Sat. of each month 7 p.m.

FAITH CHRISTIAN CENTER: Sun. 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Wed. 7 p.m.

FIRST CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE Sun. school 10 a.m., Sun. worship 11 a.m. and 6:30 p.m.

GETHEMANE UNITED

BAPTIST - Every 2nd Sat. & Sun. at 7 p.m.

GOSPEL LIGHT FREEWILL BAPTIST - Sun. school 11 a.m. worship 12:30 p.m. Tuesday 7 p.m. Pastor Ray Messer, Jr.

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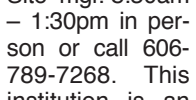
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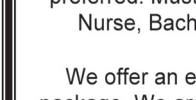
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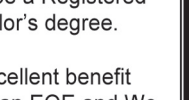
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Big Sandy Sports

Bulldogs drop home game to Boyd County

LOUISA — Former 16th Region rivals hooked up at Lawrence County last weekend with the visiting team prevailing.

Dylan Grimm delivered a three-run home run to help lift Boyd County to a 8-5 win over former 16th Region rival Lawrence County Saturday.

With the win, Boyd County improved to 14-11.

As a result of the loss, Lawrence County slipped to 18-6. The Bulldogs had a four-game win streak snapped.

One of the state's top high school baseball teams, Lawrence County hadn't lost since dropped a two-run decision to upset-minded Greenup County on April 17.

But Grimm wasn't the only offensive contributor for the Lions. Ethan Hicks added a two-RBI double for the Bulldogs in the seventh inning in the final game of the Lawrence County Spring Classic.

Boyd County exited the Lawrence County contest with a 14-11 overall record.

Three Boyd County batters - Grimm, Hicks and Jake Cook - each went 2-for-4 in the victory.

Boyd County reliever Slone Alley earned the win. Alley had six strikeouts in his latest pitching appearance.

Boyd County edged the Bulldogs 10-9 in the hits column.

The Lions overcame two errors en route to the win.

Pitching out of a relief role, Lawrence County's Chase Coverdale, a sophomore, took the loss.

Offensively for the Bulldogs, Brock Turner went 3-for-4 with two RBIs. Joe Wallen was 2-for-4 for the Lawrence County baseball club.

The Bulldogs committed one error in the loss.

Boyd County 8, Lawrence County 5

Boyd County.....100
203 2 - 8 10 2

Lawrence County....210
100 1 - 5 9 1

Wallen, Cavins (4), Coverdale (4) and Boyer; Bryan, Alley (2), Barnwell (6) and Wyatt. W - Alley. L - Coverdale. 2B - Harper (BC), Wyatt (BC), Turner (LC). HR- Grimm (BC).



Transylvania University Women's Golf Team

Kelsey records ace, leads Transy in final tournament

NORMAL, Ill. - Earlier in the month, the Transylvania University women's golf team's season concluded with the Illinois Wesleyan Spring Fling April 12-13, capping the season for the Pioneers.

Paintsville High School graduate Jerra Kelsey recorded her second ace of the season on a 165-yard par 3, before the Pioneers knocked 32 strokes off their first round total in round two for a team total of 364 Sunday.

"Today was a big improvement," interim head coach Keilly Purdom said following his squad's performance. "We still have more room to improve and we're looking forward to next season."

Tiara Harris led the Pioneers with rounds of 91 and

84, while Jerra Kelsey logged a two-round total of 183 with rounds of 94 and 89. Meanwhile, Sarah Fuller finished with rounds of 101 and 96 and Alyssa Thompson shot 110 and 95 in two rounds.

Saturday's weather made the course that much more challenging for the Pioneers, along with the rest of the field.

"Transy had a tough day," Purdom said of Saturday. "Conditions were very windy, sustained winds 20-30 miles per hour with wind gust of 40 miles per hour plus."

Transylvania did not have any individuals compete in the event. The 36-hole event was held at Ironwood Golf Course, a par 72, 5,400-yard course.

"The girls are up for the



Jerra Kelsey

goals that I have set," Purdom said, "and are planning on putting in the extra effort this

summer for a successful fall season."

Tigers, Eagles split regular season series

PAINTSVILLE - The Johnson Central and Paintsville baseball teams split their latest regular-season series last week. On Tuesday, April 22, at Johnson Central, Paintsville pulled away to defeat the Golden Eagles 8-2. But the Eagles enacted some revenge the next day, blanking the Tigers 6-0 at Paintsville on Wednesday, April 23.

Paintsville 8,
Johnson Central 2;

After trailing 2-1 through four innings, Paintsville scored seven runs over the fifth and sixth frames to pull away to beat host Johnson Central 8-2 in a battle of cross-town baseball rivals on Tuesday (April 22).

For Paintsville, Ben Daniels went 4-for-5 with a double and an RBI. Following Daniels in the offensive department for the Tigers, Gabe Burchell, Taylor Miller, Lane Daniels and Tommy McCormick all drove in runs.

Paintsville pitcher Kash Daniel earned the win. Daniel struck out seven in five innings, allowing four hits and two walks in the winning effort.

Offensively for Johnson Central, Jordan Young was 2-for-3 with an RBI. Contributing at the plate, Austin Davis drove in a run for the Eagles.

On the mound for Johnson Central, Seth Blanton pitched six innings and was stuck with the loss.

Johnson Central 6,
Paintsville 0;

Sophomore pitcher Josh Hitchcock pitched visiting Johnson Central to a 6-0 win over Paintsville on Wednesday.

Hitchcock allowed only four hits while striking out six and walking two in five innings of work from the mound.

Pitching out of a relief role, eighth-grader Tate Meade worked two shutout innings for Johnson Central, issuing three walks and recording one strikeout in the latest appearance of his young high school career.

Paintsville sophomore pitcher Andrew Rice suffered

the loss.

Kent Phelps and Spencer Taylor also pitched for Paintsville in the setback.

At the plate, Zach Slone, Juwan Mayes, Jordan Ray Young, Geordon Blanton and Austin Davis all contributed for the Eagles.

Gabe Burchell, Taylor Miller, Luke Daniels and Tommy McCormick each had a hit for the Tigers.

With the win, Johnson Central improved to 17-9 overall and 1-1 in the 57th District.

As a result of the loss, Paintsville dropped to 16-4 overall and 4-2 in the district.

Lady Eagles blank Lady Tigers 15-0 in four innings

PAINTSVILLE — Johnson Central's softball team rolled past host Paintsville last week, defeating the Lady Tigers 15-0 in four innings on Wednesday night.

Johnson Central improved to 12-6 after posting the win. Paintsville dropped to 3-9 as a result of the loss.

Johnson Central freshman pitcher Micailyn Pierce earned the win. Pierce improved to 7-1. Helping her cause at the plate, Pierce connected for two hits and an RBI. Pierce had a double for Johnson Central in the win.

Center fielder Jayla Spurlock paced Johnson Central with a three-run home run. Spurlock also scored twice for Johnson Central during the district victory.

Numerous Johnson Central players stepped up at the plate. Brooke Williamson and Lauren Delong each reached base twice and scored two time apiece for the Lady Eagles.

Rachelle Fairchild flourished at the plate, delivering three hits and scoring three times for the Johnson Central club.

Bailey Daniel delivered

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UK Women's Golf Team selected for NCAA championship field

LEXINGTON — The University of Kentucky women's golf team was selected to the 2014 NCAA Division I Women's Golf Championship for the 19th time in program history Monday night, as the Wildcats made the field and will compete in the East Regional at the Southwood Golf Club in Tallahassee, Fla., May 8-10. UK made the field of 72 teams for the fourth consecutive season and will make compete in the East Regional for the third time in the last four seasons.

"We are excited about being sent to Tallahassee for the NCAA regionals," said Kentucky head coach Golda Johansson Borst. "I feel like we got a strong draw this year and Florida courses typically treat our team well. We have learned a lot this year and we will draw on those experiences as we head to the Championship. I know our team has learned a lot this year that will help us next week."

The 24-team regional features five Southeastern Conference teams, including the 2014 SEC Champions Vanderbilt. Auburn, Georgia and South Carolina will also represent the league in the East Regional. Along with Vanderbilt, the field boasts 12 conference champions: Duke, Stanford, Pepperdine, Tulane, Louisville, East Tennessee State, Campbell, College of Charleston, Troy, Murray State, Seton Hall and Alabama State. The remainder of the field consists of UCF, Virginia, NC State, Florida State, Baylor, East Carolina and Texas State.

Kentucky is coming off an eighth-place tie in the 2014 SEC Championship held in Hoover, Ala. Sophomore Cylia Damerau recorded her second top 20 finish of the season by placing 18th with a 9-over

par, 225. Senior Liz Breed carded an 11-over par, 227, to tie for 24th, while freshman Haley Mills posted a 13-over par, 229, to tie for 31st. Sophomore Sarah Harris and freshman Alessandra Walker, a Paintsville High School graduate, tied for 53rd at 18-over par, 234. UK has won one tournament this season, while recording four top-five finishes. Breed leads the team with a 73.89 season scoring average with Mills closely behind at 74.04.

The NCAA Women's Golf Championship is made up of three regionals that each consist of 24 teams and six individuals. The two other 2014

regional sites include the Central Regional at the Karsten Creek Golf Club in Stillwater, Okla., and the West Regional at the Tumble Creek Club at Suncandia Resort in Cle Elum, Wash.

The three regional sites are preliminary rounds of the NCAA Championship. Eight teams and two individuals will advance from each regional to participate in the championship's finals at the Tulsa Country Club in Tulsa, Okla., May 20-23.

This marks the fourth straight postseason appearance for Kentucky under the direction of Borst. The Wildcats placed 12th in the 2013

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Sports

Corey Adams goes 2-for-4 in Pikeville's season-ending loss

PIKEVILLE — Seven pitchers appeared in a slugfest that saw the University of Pikeville and Georgetown College baseball teams combine for 31 hits, but the fourth-ranked Tigers were able to use them for more runs in a 12-5 win on Sunday in the season finale at Johnnie LeMaster Field.

UPIke closes out the 2014 season with a 21-30 overall record and 6-20 mark in the Mid-South Conference. While the 21 wins are the most for the Bears since 2001, they finished one spot outside of the field for the MSC Tournament. Georgetown, the regular-season MSC champion, improved to 38-6 overall and 23-3 in league play with the win.

After one inning, it looked

like Pikeville might be in gear to rally towards the Tigers seventh loss of the season. Centerfielder Brad Andrews opened the first inning with a single and stole second. After left fielder Zach Nothwehr was hit by a pitch, first baseman Nicolas Gonzales hit an RBI double. Third baseman Erik Manning hit a sacrifice fly to score Nothwehr and the Bears had a 2-0 lead.

But the talented Tigers fought right back with two tying runs in the second inning before taking control of the game for good with seven runs in the third. First baseman Martin Lemus got things started with a two-run home run and four hits later Georgetown was up 9-2.

The Bears got within six runs twice but could never rally for more as their season came to an end despite a 4-for-4 showing from Manning and Gonzales driving in a pair of runs with two hits, including a double.

Paintsville High School graduate Corey Adams was

2-for-4 with a run for the Bears.

Pikeville starter James Brooks (1-2) took the loss after allowing four runs on seven hits in two innings of work.

Shaun Meyer improved to 7-0 on the mound for the Tigers after scattering 11 hits for three earned runs in seven innings with two strikeouts and no walks. Right fielder Tyler Coker had a big day at the plate for Georgetown, going 5-for-6 with two RBIs, a double and a run scored.

No. 4 Georgetown 12, Pikeville 5

Erik Manning: 4-4, 2 RBIs, R, SF

Cody Chagnon: 2-5, RBI, 2B

Nicolas Gonzales: 2-4, 2 RBIs, 2B

Brad Andrews: 1-5, RBI, R, SB

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